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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, past office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A WATER-INSOLUBLE AMORPHOUS OR PARTIALLY AMORPHOUS CONTROLLED RELEASE MATRIX, the specification of which (check one)

☒ is attached hereto
was filed on April 20, 2000 as Application Serial No. PCT/EP00/03612
(if applicable)
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filing date and application number of said application when known.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is known to me to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign and/or provisional application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign and/or provisional application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

PRIOR APPLICATION(S)			Priority claimed
<u>199 18 325 2</u>	<u>Germany</u>	<u>22 April 1999</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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